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Document: Domestic Return Receipt for Certified Mail sent to Conrail

Date: 11/14/88

Document: 104(e) letter response

From: T.P. Pendergast, Director, Environmental Affairs

Conrail (Consolidated Rail Corp.)

606 Six Penn Center Philadelphia, PA 19103

To: Susan Swales, U.S. EPA Region V

Date: 4/19/89

Summary: Letter responding to EPAs 3/8/89 Info. Request. Conrail Continues to search

for Information.

Document: Response to Information Request Letter

From: Paula Martin, Attorney

Conrail

To: Susan Swales, U.S. EPA Region V

Date: 9/7/89

Summary: Letter responding to EPA's 3/8/89 Info. Request re: Himco Landfill, Elkhart,

IN.

Conrail's search for documents re: Himco Landfill is continuing, & search, to date, has not uncovered info. indicating that Conrail sent haz, waste to Himco Landfill.

- Information regarding Himco may be in storage, & arrangements to locate & retrieve these documents have been initiated. Once retrieved, Conrail will respond if necessary.
- 104(e) responses attached (11/10/88 Information Request Response)
- Conrail made waste disposal arrangements with Himco to remove nonhazardous trash from Conrail's Elkhart Diesel Terminal in Elkhart, In.
- From 4/1/76 to the date of the Site's closure (12/1/77) Conrail used Himco's services to remove non-hazardous trash from Conrail's Elkhart Diesel Terminal.
- · The material was non-hazardous
- 104(e) responses attached (4/19/89 Info. Request response)
- Conrail was formed 4/1/76, out of the assets of six bankrupt railroads: the Penn Central, Reading Railroad, Central of New Jersey, Erie Lachine, Leigh and Hudson River, & the Leigh Valley. Conrail's Response to EPA's 104(e) letter re: Himco, dated 9/7/89.
- The response does not constitute any admission of liability or waiver of any defense that may be applicable to Conrail.
- Conrail's search into the Himco matter is continuing they reserve the right to supplement the response to EPA, if necessary.

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• Responses to EPA Info Requests dated 11/10/88 and 4/19/89 attached to cover portion of letter.

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General Correspondence Photocopy of Exhibit 2

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General Correspondence

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Himco Statements for Services Provided to Conrail, &

Accounts Payable Ledgers for Checks made out to Himco Waste-Away

Service, Inc., located at P.O. Box 1062, Elkhart, IN 46514

Services Rendered by Himco Waste-Away, for various dates

throughout 1976 and 1977

· Waste/Trash Removal from Elkhart Yard, Elkhart Diesel Terminal

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General Correspondence

To:

Ms. Swales

From:

Paula Martin, Attorney for Conrail

Summary:

Note which says:

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"We accidentally did not include the certification and documents when we sent this in last week. Please accept the correction."